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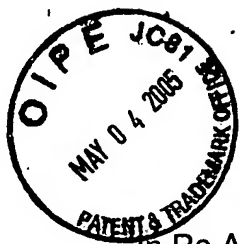
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Enclosed are five (5) sheets of formal drawing containing Figures 1-6B for the above-captioned patent application.

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